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Re: Opposition No. 91184319

Dear Ms. Linnehan:

On August 15, 2008, the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board ("TTAB") suspended proceedings in the above-referenced opposition pending disposition of Applicant Chicago Tribune Company's Motion to Dismiss. (*See* Order dated Aug. 5, 2008.) The TTAB expressly stated, "Any paper filed during the pendency of this motion which is not relevant thereto will be given no consideration." (*Id.*) *See also* Trademark Rule 2.127(d) (stating that, when the TTAB suspends proceedings in response to a motion potentially dispositive of a proceeding, "no party should file any paper which is not germane to the motion except as otherwise specified in the Board's suspension order"). In an Order dated August 21, 2008, concerning scheduling, the TTAB reiterated that "proceedings herein remain suspended." (Order dated Aug. 21, 2008.)

Notwithstanding the foregoing and in violation of the TTAB's Orders, Opposer Fox News Network, LLC filed a Motion to Consolidate on October 16, 2008, in the above-referenced opposition (the "Motion"). This Motion is not relevant to the briefing surrounding Applicant's Motion to Dismiss. Accordingly, Applicant Chicago Tribune Company is not responding to the Motion in reliance on the TTAB's Orders that proceedings are suspended and that irrelevant motions will be given no consideration.

Very truly yours,



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